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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Masaru IZAWA et al.

Serial No. 10/771,294

Filed: February 5, 2004

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Group Art Unit: 1793

Examiner: Zheng, L.

For: Method for Manufacturing Surface Treated Steel Material Using a Chemical Conversion Treatment Liquid (as amended)

### AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 22, 2008, a petition for a three month extension of time is made and payment is addressed at the end of this filing.

Please revise the application as follows:

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